Jump Starting

Jump starting a motorcycle is typically not recommended. However, there may be circumstances when it is necessary to do so. If a jump-start is necessary, use the following procedure.

NOTES:

- This procedure presumes the BOOSTER battery is in another vehicle. DO NOT jump start from a running booster vehicle. The high output charging systems on some vehicles can damage the electrical components on the motorcycle.
- Make sure the motorcycle and the BOOSTER vehicle are not touching one another.
- 1. Turn off all unnecessary lamps and accessories.

Positive Cable

- 2. See figure below **Jump Start Cable Connections**. Connect one end of a jumper cable to the DISCHARGED battery positive (+) terminal (1).
- 3. Connect the other end of the same cable to the BOOSTER battery positive (+) terminal (2).

Negative Cable

- 4. Connect one end of a jumper cable to the BOOSTER battery negative (-) terminal (3).
- 5. Connect other end of the same cable (4) to a safe ground, (away from the DISCHARGED battery).
- 6. Start motorcycle.
- 7. Disconnect cables in reverse order of Steps 2, 3, 4, 5; that is: Steps 5, 4, 3, 2.

